

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Heather D. Maynard et al. Confirmation No.: 9676
U.S. Serial No.: 10/576,038 Examiner: Heincer, Liam J.
Filing or 371(c) Date: February 2, 2007 Group Art Unit: 1796
For: BIOMACROMOLECULE POLYMER CONJUGATES

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of January 30, 2008, the shortened period for response thereto expiring April 30, 2008, said date for response extended 3 months to July 30, 2008 by the Request for Extension included herewith, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification None.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.